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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Official Action dated August 13, 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application in the following manner. Responsive to the Office Action of August 13, 2002, the period of response being extended one month to December 13, 2002 by the accompanying Request for Extension of Time, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please delete claims 17 through 21, without disclaimer of the subject matter

therein. Please **amend claims** 1-16 and 22-39 by substituting claims 1-16 and 22-39, provided below, for claims 1-16 and 22-39 of the pending patent application. A marked-

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